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REMARKS

Responsive to the Office communication of May 31, 2005, Applicants provide substitute paper and computer-readable copies of the Sequence Listing in compliance with 37 CFR § 1.821–1.825. The enclosed substitute Sequence Listing replaces all prior Sequence Listings and corrects errors detected in the computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing filed with the paper mailed on March 14, 2005. A statement in support of the substitute Sequence Listing is enclosed herewith.

Applicants assert that that the content of the paper copy and computer readable copy of the substitute Sequence Listing, submitted concurrently herewith in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.821(c) and (e), is the same. Applicants also assert, as required under 37 CFR § 1.821(h), that the paper and computer readable copies contain no new matter, nor do they go beyond the disclosure of the application as filed.

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CONCLUSION

Applicants believe that they have addressed the matters raised be the Examiner and that the present application is now in condition for allowance. It is not believed that an extension of time and/or additional fee(s)-including fees for net addition of claims-are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. In the event, however, that an extension of time is necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such an extension is hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). Any additional fees believed to be due in connection with this paper may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0220.

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